REMARKS

Claim 1 has been amended to advance the examination of the application. The amendment clarifies the claim, and does not add new matter. The application is in allowable form and allowance is respectfully requested.

No additional fee is needed. However, a petition for expedited examination is being submitted herewith, and the Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, associated with this communication or the petition to Deposit Account 04-1420.

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Respectfully submitted,

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